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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 29, 2002,  
please amend the above-identified Patent Application as follows:

In the Specification:

Please replace the current specification with the Substitute  
Specification as attached.

In the Claims:

Cancel claims 1, 2, 5, 6, 9, 14, 17, and 18, without

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